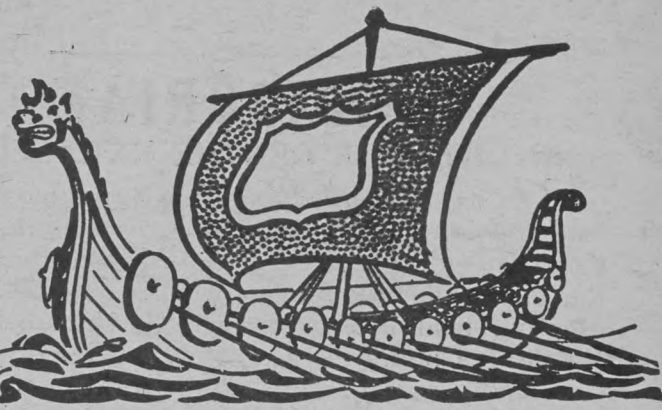




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SEASON'S GREETINGS TO ALL

SCANDAPADES 101 UNDERWAY

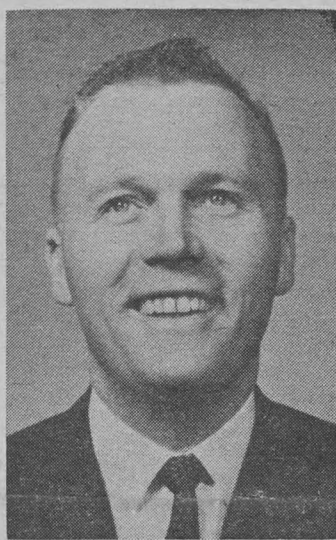


OTTO VON ROSEN — DIRECTOR

The main feature of the annual Scandinavian Night, January 27th at the Jubilee Auditorium promises to be an outstanding show. The director of Scandapades is Otto Von Rosen. Assisting Mr. Von Rosen is the Cultural Committee of the Scandinavian Centre, consisting of:

Harvey Haugen
Mrs. Anne Sahuri
Mrs. McNaughton
Mrs. Verna Larson
Mr. Claus Jacobsen

The producer is Bud D'Amur. Mr. D'Amur is well known in Edmonton musical and dramatic circles. For many years he operated the Yardbird Suite and was associated with the Studio Theatre. He is one of the founders of the Walderdale Playhouse. He is involved in many productions at the present time, and among his present activities is artistic director for the University of Alberta Students' Union Drama Club. Mr. D'Amur has had a script prepared for Scandapades 101, the theme of which is "The Birth of the Second Century".



ANDERS ANDERSON

Anders Anderson is well known to many Scandinavians in our community, having been associated with the Scandinavian Centre on and off for the past ten years. This year's annual Scandinavian Night promises to be the biggest and best yet. Five Scandinavian Princesses in Scandinavian costumes, one each from Icelandic, Swedish, Norwegian, Danish and Finnish communities, will be hostesses during the evening.

The show orchestra which is part of the Scandapades 101 will be under the direction of Mrs. Lily Boyer, assisted by Carl Elgestrand. The intermission at Scandapades 101 will have a fashion show of imported Scandinavian fashions, flown over specially by SAS. On the lower floor of the Auditorium a display of new Scandinavian art, art objects, and products such as furniture and automobiles, is arranged for your interest and pleasure. In charge of the display is Mrs. Lenna Holfarsen.

There will be, after the show, a Scandinavian cafeteria, as well as the popular Scandinavian dance in the social room. For those of a younger heart there will be dancing to a modern orchestra in the club room. Scandapades 101 in the Auditorium is under the direction of Otto Von Rosen, with Mr. Bud D'Amur producer and Mr. Harvey Haugen as stage manager.

NEWS FROM THE DANISH CHURCH

Merry Christmas and a Happy New year from the Danish Church to all who in any way have been in contact with the Danish Church in the last year and to all others who are welcome to get in contact with us in the coming year.

That many have been in contact with the Danish Church could be seen from the pastor's report at the annual meeting November 24th.

From November 1, 1966 to November 1, 1967 we have had 39 Danish Services (29 the year before) with 2530 attendants i.e. an average of 65 to each service (the year before 55). In the same period we have had 24 English services (26 the year before) with 1120 attendants i.e. an average of 47 (the year before 42). The congregation has now 242 members over 18 years as against 460 a year ago. We send the church bulletin to about 560 addresses against 460 a year ago. There have been 33 baptisms (31 in 1966), 9 weddings (9 in 1966), 20 children have been confirmed (14 in 1966) and 4 men have been buried from the Danish Church.

They were Jens Clemenson, Einar Nielsen, Albert Wilhelm Nelson and Elmer Jensen. In the same period, from November to November we have had 87 meeting arrangements.

MEETING IN DECEMBER

Wednesday, December 6th

Ladies Aid Christmas Party. Take your husbands and a gift costing about \$1.00 with you.

Monday, December 11th

Young People's Group Christmas Party. All teenagers are welcome. Bring a friend and a gift worth about 30 cents.

Friday, December 8th at 8:00 p.m.

An evening in the church for the whole family. We will sing many of the loved Danish Christmas hymns and perhaps learn a new one. The pastor will read a few of the passages in the Bible about the prophecies of Christ, but there will be no sermon. Later on we will have coffee in the basement and pop for the children.

Friday, December 15th

Christmas Party for Ansgar Men's Club, The Danish Women's Club and "Ungdomskredsen".

THE CAFE AND BALL A SUCCESS

The International Cafe and Ball of October 28, 1967 was a huge success with over 500 people attending.

Mrs. Mina MacDonald, convenor, reported that 18 countries were represented. Costumed representatives from each country served typical foods of their homeland. The Scandinavian Centre representatives were Mrs. M. Eliasson and Mrs. McMaster of Vasa Lodge; Mrs. T. Larson of Dania Lodge; Mrs. R. McNaughton of the Icelandic Lodge; and Miss Irene Lagergren of the Sons of Norway Lodge. During the Supper Hour continuous music and songs were supplied by Olav Sveen, Jim MacDonald and Irene Hovde.

Crystal MacDonald Fleuty presented an enjoyable program with talent from ethnic groups — Indian Dancers with their own caller and band; Ukrainian Dancers and their own band; German Chorus; Scottish Dancers; Crystal Singers, and Soloists; Crystal MacDonald Fleuty,

Crystal Mina Fleuty and Gerry Willis

The dance began at 9:00 p.m. with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Neilson and Mr. and Mrs. Borgerson leading the Grand March. At intermission, Knut Svidal, 2nd Vice-President of the United Nations Association introduced Mayor Vince Dantzer who conveyed greetings from the City of Edmonton.

Miss Lorraine Oak, 16 was chosen as Miss United Nations over 7 other contestants. The girls were judged on their displays on United Nations agencies, as well as poise and personality. Honorable E. Gerhart presented Miss Oak with a trophy; the last years Queen presented her with the crown and Crystal Mina Fleuty presented her with flowers.

Mr. F. Roncucci, United Nations President of the Week, congratulated Mrs. MacDonald on a very well planned evening. The dancing continued until 12 p.m.

AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN CHURCH GUITARIST AND FOLK SONGS AT ADVENT SERVICES

The hymn singing at the Wednesday noon Advent Services at Augustana Lutheran Church will be accompanied by guitarist Pastor Ray Schultz. The Services begin at 12:05 and end by 12:25. Pastor Linquist will deliver a series of meditations entitled: "Expecting To Be The Messiah's Community".

The ladies of the church serve lunches following the services. There will be three Wednesdays in the Advent Season this year—December 6, 13 and 20.

SANTA LUCIA — December 10.

A worship service and social hour featuring Santa Lucia will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 10. This is one of the bright and imaginative observances that comes to us from the past.

CHRISTMAS DAY

The traditional early morning Christmas Worship Service will be held December 25 at 7:00 a.m. A special choir will sing. The Christmas lessons will be read in Swedish. At 11:00 a.m. on Christmas Day, a service of meditation and singing with the Sacrament of Holy Communion is being celebrated. This is a new concept of Christmas worship that should guide and uplift our observance of Christmas.

FINNISH SERVICE

At 3:00 p.m. on Christmas Day, there will be a service of worship for Finnish speaking people. Plans are to hold the service downstairs. A Finnish recording will be played.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

A New Year's Eve Potluck smorgasbord will be held with games, a resume of 1967, and a pleasant evening for all ages.

Everyone is cordially invited to the above activities. May it be a good season for all.

PARTICIPATE

You may wish to participate in Scandapades 101.

There are still some openings in the show.

Call the producer, Bud D'Amur at 699-5352 or the director Otto Von Rosen at 469-8584.



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EDITORIAL

SCANDINAVIAN CENTRE EXPANSION

The Board of Directors of the Scandinavian Centre has appointed three directors to form a Planning Committee. These three directors are to proceed with the expansion directives issued at the Shareholders Meeting held last February. The members of this Planning Committee are — Mr. Anders Anderson, Chairman, senior engineer with Gamma Engineering Ltd., Edmonton; Mr. Sigurd Sorenson, owner of Sorenson Assurance Service Ltd., Edmonton and director of the new Centennial Building; Mr. Werner Larson, Maintenance Supervisor of the University of Alberta.

The Planning Committee are studying the possibilities of a "Scandinavian Village" which would include such commercial enterprises as indoor-outdoor dining and dancing facilities, a restaurant or coffee shop operated by the Scandinavian ladies group to serve typical Scandinavian open-face sandwiches and delicious pastries. They are also considering the possibilities of offices for Scandinavian and other business men, as well as a Scandinavian products import shop.

The "Scandinavian Village" idea was conceived so the members could have their gymnasium, swimming pool, bowling lanes, sauna bath, library, relaxation area, and a room with the historic collection and personal stories of Scandinavian ancestors.

The large auditorium and increased kitchen facilities will not be forgotten. We know that Mrs. Sivertsen and her ladies have needed this kitchen for their lutefisk suppers for many years before the Scandinavian Centre was built.

The Board of Directors feel this development can only be realized by incorporation of the suggested commercial ventures to supplement the present source of income.

The Planning Committee cannot outline all the requirements alone. They invite all members of the Scandinavian Centre to bring forth their ideas, either in writing or by sketches. What are your wishes? How much room do you need? Your wishes must be known before the Committee can approach the designer to create the complex you visualize.

There is also the financial aspect! To raise money for this expansion the Planning Committee proposes to sell 100-dollar interest bearing loan certificates to present shareholders, as well as selling shares to those who have not yet bought any. There are presently some 30,000 Scandinavians living in Edmonton. If only half of them each purchase one debenture, this project would realize 1.5 million dollars. But we must pitch in. We welcome any other financing suggestions.

Canada is entering its second century. We must look to the future and we must do this together as a team. Let your Planning Committee hear from you. Just address your letter to the Scandinavian Centre or telephone a member of your Planning Committee.

VASA LODGE SKANDIA

Hansine Pierre was visiting in Vancouver recently.

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Alma Samuelson has been busy down in Seattle, getting lost, and visiting the Vasa Lodge there. Her new address is: Ste 508 Engbert Apartment, 309 - East Harrison, Seattle, Washington, 98102. Her new phone number is: E A 2 8236. Alma sends greeting to her many friends, and hopes some of them will visit her soon.

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The Childrens Club is putting on a Christmas concert, December 17, at 2:00 p.m. in the Nordic Room of the Scandinavian Centre. Santa Claus will be there, so why don't you come too? Coffee will be served.

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Congratulations to the new grandparents, Don and Evelyn Johnson. Gary Lee arrived November 4, at Almagordo, New Mexico. Proud parents are Tim and Geri Collins.

To all my readers, I would like to wish a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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VASA ELECTS 1968 OFFICERS

The November meeting of Vasa Lodge Skandia was opened by Chairman Peter Johnson at 7:00 p.m. in the Nordic Room of the Scandinavian Centre.

Helga Forsberg, and Joyce Kay have been in hospital, but are home now under Doctor's care. Also under Doctor's care are Harold Krag, Agnes Wilson and Ella Skoog.

The Smorgasbord was a financial success again this year. A total of three hundred and ninety-nine people enjoyed the food and dance. Thanks are extended to all who helped in any way. Next year the event will be held in a larger hall. The Women's Auxiliary has donated twenty-five dollars to the projector fund.

Otto Von Rosen is looking for talent for Scandapades. Can you help?

The officers for 1968 are: Chairman Peter Johnson, Vice-Chairman Lennart Petersen, Secretary Doris Gerneroy, Vice-secretary Martha Kay, Financial Secretary Linnea Lodge, Vice - Financial Secretary Doreen Nyroos, Treasurer Don Johnson, Chaplin Sven Erickson, Master of Ceremonies Erling Winquist, Vice-Master of Ceremonies Mae Rushton, Inner Guard Ed Bergquist, Outer Guard Herman Nelson. The Trustees are Bud Holmgren, Harold Markstrom, and Eric Engvall. The Sick Committee are Milda Backstrom, Hansine Pierre, Mary Pearson, Herman Nelson, Ed Bergquist, and Magnus Pearson. The Auditors are Martha Kay, Eric Engvall, Joan Peterson and alternate Erling Winquist.

Don't forget the Lucia Pageant, Friday, December 1st at 8:00 p.m.

FINNISH SOCIETY



HAUSKAA JOULUA — MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Congratulations are in order to Mrs. Sinikka Cumming who was successful in the January, 1967 Registered Nurses Examinations.

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Many thanks to all my friends who remembered me on my recent birthday, also thanks to Finnish Society for the flowers I received.

Vaino Rastas

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Mrs. Bertha Rama and her son, Mr. Leslie Rama, flew to Mission Viejo, California to visit Mr. and Mrs. M.J. Demers and family. Mrs. Demers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rama of Edmonton.

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Finnish Society's Centennial supper and dance was held on October 20th. During the evening Mr. J. Rama made a presentation of "Kalevala" to the Centennial Library. Mr. Paul Karvonen was the Master of Ceremonies.

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Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuusela who were married in Augustana Lutheran Church on October 21st, 1967. Reception was held at the Highway Motor Hotel. The young couple will reside in Edmonton.

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A surprise house warming party was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. Joljart recently. During the evening of fun a lovely clock was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Joljart on behalf of many friends.

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Thanks to Mrs. Anja Leino who was the hostess of November sewing circle. The next one will be announced later.

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Thanks to all the ladies who donated the delicious baking and lovely handicraft for the bazaar held in November.

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"Pikkujoulu" and dance will be held on December 2nd, 1967 at

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the Scandinavian Centre, Dania Room starting at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited.

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Speedy recovery to Mr. Albert Karvonen who was in hospital recently.

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General Meeting of Finnish Society will be held on December 3rd. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Salomaas 8931 - 145 St., starting at 7:00 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

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Christmas Eve — Dec. 24 — 3:00 p.m. — Danish Service

Christmas Day — Dec. 25 — 10:00 a.m. — Danish Service

Christmas Day — Dec. 25 — 11:00 a.m. — English Service

Sunday — Dec. 31 — 11:00 a.m. — English Service

New Years Day — Jan. 1 — 11:00 a.m. Danish Service

Holy Communion

SOLGLYT SPOTLIGHT

Dec. 6 — Election of Officers and Christmas Bingo.

Dec. 10 — Annual Christmas Party.

Jan. 13 — Installation Dinner and dance.

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Min Strand, Financial Secretary, was a patient in the Misericordia Hospital for a week. She is now home and doing fine. Best wishes from Solglyt members.

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A speedy recovery is extended to Percy Bradford who was a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital recently.

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Maisie Amdam wishes that sincere thanks be extended to all the lodge members who sent flowers, good wishes and visited her while she was a patient in the hospital recently. She is home now and is feeling much better.

Gerd Kesich has joined her husband (who works for an oil company) in Libya, Africa. Malta will be their home for the next 2 years.

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John Eric Borgerson is attending Brentwood College on Vancouver Island, where he is taking his grade nine.

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Sid and Selma Sorenson enjoyed a 12 day combined business/pleasure trip to London, England, Copenhagen, Denmark and Krisiansund, Norway (they visited with 6 relatives here). Edel Jacobsen of Oslo was very pleased to see them and sent back greetings to everyone. Arne Gulland also sent back kindest regards to all.

Ragna Sivertsen reports that the Ladies Committee has been very busy preparing for the Lutfisk Dinner and will have a full report for the next month's news.

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Knut Svidal, 4th District of Sons of Norway President, attended the October 4th District board meeting in Havre, Montana.

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Knut and Rose Svidal were in Calgary on October 21 for the 25th Anniversary of the Valhalla Lodge. Knut presented Past President, Roy Swanberg with a President of the Year Award. While in Calgary they enjoyed staying with Ed and Lillian Ness.

Members of the Drill Team and Dancers were present in costume at the wind-up of the last home football game. They took positions on the football field (half time entertainment) to make the letter A. Groups who had entertained at half time through the Edmonton Football out the word CANADA for Canada's season were on field and spelled Centennial.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S NIGHT

The Junior and Senior Lodge had a combined meeting on November 8 with Sunray Lodge members entertaining. The Panacea Players (Junior Lodge Drama Group) put on a skit with Danny Lineham as director of the group. They put the same skit on for patients of the Glenrose Hospital along with a sing song with

the audience participating.

The Lodge's new tape recorder was tried out and Edvard Greig selections were played. Nels Mjaatveit's name was drawn for the attendance prize but he will not be able to collect as he was absent from the meeting. A film "Viking Heritage" was shown and lunch was served by Host and Hostess Harv and Betty Haugen assisted by the ladies.

19 members attended the meeting of November 13 which was hosted by Fred and Ruth Wibe. From all reports, a lovely time was

had by all with an evening of songs and Bingo. Irene Hovde led the group in singing Norwegian and other songs for about an hour, accompanied by Del Melsness on the piano.

The rest of the evening featured Bingo — winners were Ruth Wibe, Del Melsness, Ole Borgerson and Mrs. Hope. A lovely lunch was served by the hosts.

The next meeting will be held Monday, December 11. Norwegian Whist will be played and will be hosted by Ole and Inger Borgerson, 599-7862.



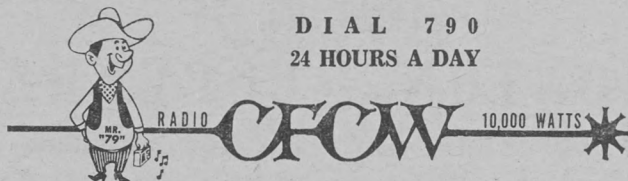
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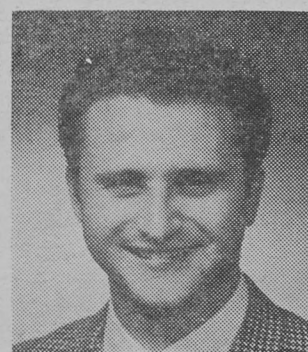
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GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED

KINSELLA — A Viking couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bruhaug, were honored in the Memorial Hall recently on their golden wedding anniversary.

Mr. Bruhaug was born in Flatdal, Telemarken, Norway, in 1886, and his wife, Elsie, in Dyrlandsdalen in 1895.

The Couple were wed in Seljord, Norway, on October 30, 1917, coming to Canada in 1927.

They farmed south of Jarrow for a while, then moved north to the Batts district, retiring to Viking in 1963.

The couple have two daughters and five grandchildren.

Congratulatory messages were received from Gov.-Gen. Michener, Prime Minister Pearson, Lt.-Gov. MacEwen, Premier Manning, former opposition leader John Diefenbaker, Cliff Smallwood, MP for Battle River-Camrose, and Henry Ruste, MLA for Wainwright.

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REST-HOME BLAZE KILLS ELDERLY MAN

VANCOUVER — Fire in a rest home for the aged in South Vancouver killed one man.

Fourteen persons were sent to hospital, most of them suffering smoke inhalation. Heroic action by firemen was credited with saving lives.

The blaze, in the Finnish-Canadian Rest Home at 2288 Harrison Dr., started in one of 20 rooms on the lower of two storeys in the east wing of the main building.

Firemen said the fire started in a mattress and quickly destroyed two private bedrooms before being extinguished.

The dead man was found lying on the floor on the storey above the burned-out suites. It is believed he was trying to help evacuate 56 people into pouring rain.

His name was not released.

The building is one of four modern complexes that house 156 persons ranging in age from 60 to 92. Damage was confined to one building.

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JAKE HENRIKSON MEMORIAL FUND

The following is a list of the contributors to the late Jake Henrikson Memorial Fund and a grateful thanks to all of you.

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- Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Thorvaldson
- Mr. and Mrs. Al Arnason
- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arason

This money will be handed over to the Betel Icelandic Old Folks Home in Gimli, Manitoba, and as a fitting memorial to Jake will be used to provide comfort for the many wonderful pioneer Icelanders residing in the home.

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ICELADIC NEWSLETTER

November 25 has come and gone, and the Icelandic Ladies Christmas Bazaar is only a memory, yet from the many favorable comments we must offer a great deal of praise for the industry, ingenuity, inventiveness and practicality shown in the abundance of attractive articles prepared for the sale. The Coffee Hour made a congenial atmosphere for friendly associations, and new acquaintances. It is to be hoped that this is only the forerunner of many such excellent ventures, and that a feeling of unity brings the Icelandic community into closer ties because of the willing workers who gave so freely of their time and talent.

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President Al Arnason and his executive have another successful event added to their impressive list of happy evenings, when the many and varied Hallowe'en characters showed up for the masquerade and dance in the Scandinavian Centre. Judging by the sound effects of music, laughter and talk, one must come to the conclusion that everyone present was in the gayest of moods, and spirits were made more gay by the mysteries of the masks. The lunch committee, in charge of Mrs. Walter Arason, in the absence of the convener, Mrs. A. Mitchell, did a splendid task of providing delicious food, efficiently served.

Mr. Halfdan L. Thorlaksson, of Vancouver was a visitor to Edmonton, on behalf of the Evangelism Committee of the Western Canada Synod, Lutheran Church. Two representatives from British Columbia were designated to attend and as a layman and a stalwart supporter of the Church of Christ (Icelandic) in Vancouver, he ably deliberated the problems and achievements of the Synod. Mr. Thorlaksson has recently relinquished his post as financial director of the impressive Vancouver Art Gallery. Prior to that he was Comptroller of the Hudson's Bay in that city. He was able to renew many friendships while in the Alberta capital.

We welcome to the city Dr. Jan Thorhallson and his wife, Hrefna, the former Miss Beckmann who are making their home at 12415 Lansdowne Drive. Dr. Jon Thorhallson has received his Post-Doctorate Fellowship, and is a member of the faculty of the University of Alberta, working on research in the department of theoretical chemistry. His wife gained a degree in Veterinary Medicine while in Germany, embracing Zoological, Botanical, Physics and Chemistry studies in Veterinary medicine. The Comment on the glorious sunsets and the brightness of Sunny Alberta. Their phone number is 434-9592.

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Friends of Mrs. Solveig Arason Jeffries of Marshall, Sask., were most pleasantly surprised on Sunday evening while listening to the program Hymn-Sing from Winnipeg, to hear the talented choir of young voices sing her composition, The IVY-COVERED CHAPEL, as one of their delightful arrangements. They provided a history of the composition, and gave Mrs. Jeffries praise for her musical offering. It is to be hoped that an opportunity

of hearing it again on a coming program will be given.

Mrs. Jeffries is conducting a large class in oil-painting in Marshall and was successful in placing first in the summer Klondike Days exhibition with her painting of THE BURN-OFF — a scene from their home of an oil-well fire. We congratulate this gifted artist, and wish her continued success.

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Notice has been given that during the coming weeks, a program of the singing troubador, Stu Davis, and his son Duane will stage a re-enactment of the marriage of Rev. Taylor and a Miss Christofferson, in their historical review of former pioneer events. Miss Christofferson was the first school teacher in the early settlement in Manitoba, and her romance with the beloved friend of the Icelandic immigrants is the basis of one of the Stu Davis Thursday night television programs.

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Edmonton is favoured to have an active and progressive Symphony Society, under the cultural direction of Mr. Brian Priestman. By this means many world renowned artists appear in Edmonton. One such a guest artist was Vladimar Askenazy, pianist who performed on two occasions in Edmonton. Mr. Askenazy was born in Gorky in 1937, moving with his family to Moscow when he was two. His remarkable talent became obvious at a very early age, for one success followed upon another until he was a joint winner with the British Pianist, John Ogden in 1962 in the Tchaikovsky International Competition, in Moscow. After several tours in Europe and America, his reputation as a virtuoso pianist was fully established, and numerous concerts in Italy, Greece, London, Iceland and Belgium, America and Canada enhanced his reputation. His wife is herself an accomplished pianist. They met when they both took part in the Tchaikovsky competition, and in 1960 became fellow students at the Moscow Conservatory. They were married in 1961. Mrs. Askenazy accompanies her husband on his tours, and on this occasion brought their four-year-old daughter, Naydia with them.

The next appearance of Vladimar Askenazy was to be in Salt Lake City, and air travel connections made it possible for an enjoyable evening with some Icelandic Canadians at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arason, where Mrs. Askenazy revealed some of the aspects of the excitement of being the wife of a gifted musician, much in demand, and also some of her Icelandic background. A son was in England, at school where they make their home in London.

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An article in the Edmonton Journal recounts the ambitions of Thor Kristjansson, son of Mr. Kristjansson, Universities Commission Academic Planner, in his wish to establish a coffee bar for his youthful friends. Many hours had gone into the preparation of a suitable place for young people to gather, sit, drink coffee, and talk. He is to be commended for his initiative, as he is 17 years of age. However, the

owners of the building cancelled his lease, and the coffee shop was no longer possible. The reasons given were that several complaints were being made by near-by tenants, and Thor's investment was abruptly brought to a halt.

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The death of Raquel, Mrs. Joseph Chrabaszcz occurred in Winnipeg, in late October. Raquel was a twin daughter of Dr. and Mrs. K.J. Austman, and a cousin of Leifur Oddson. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, a sister and brother, Kristjan, living in Toronto, as well as her mother in Winnipeg. We offer the condolences of all who knew the late and well known Dr. Austman and his family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Archie Chase of Fort McMurray were in Edmonton recently with their sixteen-month old baby, who was having the casts removed from a correctional bone adjustment in the feet. They returned home by plane. While in the city, they were guests in the Oddson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Orr spent a week in Oklahoma City where Archie was attending a convention of the Society of Exploratory Geophysicists. Mrs. Orr reports an active and interesting time enjoying the varied activities planned for the wives, such as fashion shows, teas, cocktail parties and a grand ball. The convention attracted delegates from all over the world. Mrs. Orr, Sr., was in charge of the three children during the absence.

Word has reached Edmonton of the adventurous life that Dr. Barney Arnason and his wife will be leading in the near future, for Dr. Arnason, who has been Deputy Minister of Co-operatives in the Saskatchewan government will be relinquishing his post after many years of effective service. They plan on a two-year stay in Africa where he will act in an advisory capacity to the Government of Zambia. Dr. Arnason is a brother of President Al Arnason.

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Mr. and Mrs. Steini Jonsson entertained house guests for a few days recently. Mrs. Gordon Ellis, and son John of the Minnedosa district, and a niece, Miss Helen Slater, of Winnipeg motored for a short visit. Also an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Watson of Comox, B.C. were guests of Steini and Clara, later visiting at the home of Mrs. Watson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Thorlakson.

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Mrs. Pauline Mitchell journeyed to Vancouver to be present at the wedding of a nephew, Mr. Mr. Roy Mol and Miss Maureen McMillan, Mrs. Mitchell visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Boynton, the former Beatrice Gislason of Elfros, and Winnipeg. Mr. Boynton recently was on the faculty of the University of Marquette, Michigan, and has retired to Vancouver. On her return, Pauline accompanied his mother, Mrs. Begga Paulson to Dawson Creek.

Sympathy is offered to the former Gudrun Maxson, of Markerville, Alberta, on the loss of her husband, Mr. Gudjon Sveinbjornson, in Vancouver, on October 21, aged 85 years. A memorial service was held in the Lutheran Church of Christ,

NOVA SCOTIA LOST OUT TO MANITOBA

Some of Canada's most successful settlers were rejected by Nova Scotia. In 1873 a large part of Iceland was devastated by an eruption of the volcano, Mount Hecla. Lord Dufferin, Governor-General of Canada, knew Iceland and had a high regard for its people. He suggested that those who had lost their homes should come to Canada.

The first party of 402 Icelanders arrived in Quebec in July, 1873; 48 said they wanted to settle in Nova Scotia.

However, the Nova Scotian immigration agent, persuaded them to continue to Ontario with the rest of the party.

Their first settlement was in the

Dr. G. Strothotte officiating. He leaves to mourn his passing, his two sons, two daughters, a brother, C.T. Oddstad, in Texas, and many grandchildren. He was an uncle of Mr. Henry Sumarlidason.

We salute Mrs. O.T. Johnson as she celebrates her birthday, on December 28th. She is one of the first honorary members of Nordurljos Chapter. Good health be yours.

Mr. I. Bjarnason of Gimli, and father of Ninna Campbell, our present Fjallkoná is planning an interesting trip to Iceland in the near future. He has many near relatives in Reykjavik, and other parts of the island, and is anticipating his journey with much pleasure. We wish him Bon Voyage, and a safe return.

The family of Prof. Barney Stephanson has returned from a years sojourn in Trinidad, West Indies. During their stay, many interesting events occurred and mindful of the folks back home, they collected interest. It is hoped that an opportunity will be given for an evening meeting where all can hear of their adventures. Welcome home!

Mr. Egill Johnson and family from Grand Rapids, Man., motored to Yellowknife recently to visit his mother, Sigga, son Andy, and his sister and brother-in-law Frida and Ozzie Sopracolle.

Mr. E.R. Hordal has returned to Yellowknife after holidaying in Regina with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mracek. She also visited her mother, Mrs. Russell in Edmonton.

Oswald Seprocolle returned to Yellowknife after a summer of prospecting in the Arctic. He staked 101 claims in the Bathurst area.

Mr. Ingi Bjornson of Arborg, Man., spent the summer prospecting in the Northwest Territories.

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Mrs. H.B. Thorvaldson spent a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. Thorvaldson while en route home to Winnipeg. Mrs. Thorvaldson had spent three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. Tonn in Vancouver.

Muskoka lakes district of Ontario, now famous for its summer colonies, but the Icelanders were not happy there.

In 1875 Reverend John Taylor guided a small party to Manitoba to search for more suitable territory, and they decided on Willow Point, where there was a broad bay and white sand beaches.

The first large party of 285 settlers arrived on October 11, travelling in flat boats down the Red River, and across Lake Winnipeg. When they saw their new homeland they called it Gimli, Icelandic for "Paradise".

It was far from a paradise for several years. The settlers had spent all their money, and had only a few tools. They had to wrestle the wilderness for existence while they built homes and grew food. Fortunately they were able to take up former trades as fisherman and wood cutters.

Despite the hardships, including an epidemic of smallpox, they made great progress. One of their unusual abilities was learning to speak English. Within six months many of the Icelanders could speak the new language without a trace of accent. They were also very keen about education, and brought many books with them. It was considered important for their children to go to school, and a heritage of their settlement is a Department of Icelandic Studies at the University of Manitoba.

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CHRISTMAS BUREAU AGAIN PREPARING TO HELP EDMONTON'S NEEDY FAMILIES

General Points Regarding the Operation of the Christmas Bureau:

1. The Christmas Bureau confines its operations to the greater Edmonton area.

2. Every effort is made by the Christmas Bureau to keep confidential information regarding the circumstances of needy families.

3. Because of the possibility of embarrassing and difficult situations children are discouraged from delivering hampers.

— Children's Christmas parties are not handled by the Christmas Bureau but can be arranged through the Central Volunteer Bureau, 422-6663.

5. The Christmas Bureau does not arrange dinners for children because Child Care Institutions discourage having children taken out of the Institution for Christmas Day only.

If You are a Donor or a Donor Group:

1. Phone the Christmas Bureau (424-0659) for the name of a needy family.

2. Names given by the Christmas Bureau to donor groups have already been assessed as to need and there is therefore no necessity for the group to conduct a further inquiry.

3. If you cannot have a hamper delivered we suggest that you contact the Central Volunteer Bureau, 422-6663, 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE.

4. Cash donations given to the Christmas Bureau will be used for food hampers or food vouchers. (Cont'd on page 6)

DANIA DOINGS



"BIKIBEN will hold their annual Christmas Meeting on December 18. Wealways have a nice time and everyone brings a little gift and also a taste of the different delicacies you have made for Christmas and maybe we even can exchange recip-es. Come and enjoy a pre-Christ-mas party.

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On December 13th we have another Turkey Bingo and we hope to see at least as many people as to our last Bingo in November.

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"DANIA" held their General meeting October 30th and the new Board of Directors are as follows: Harold Christensen, President; Claus Jacobsen, Vice President; Vera Neilsen, Secretary; Svend Neilsen, Treasurer; other members Thyra Larsen, Grethe Perrin and Aage Mortensen, Jene Godbersen and Tom Nielsen Auditor.

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Our Annual Christmas Party for the Members' children will be December 17 from 2 to 6 in the Scandinavian.

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"DANIA" New Year Party will be held January 5th and the Bohemians will play.

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It was a pleasure to see nearly 300 people come to the Tyroler Dance, November 18th in as much as we had 25 guests from Calgary, it was to all appearance a great success and we hope our Calgary friends enjoyed their stay with us, as much as we enjoyed to have them.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jespersen who celebrated their Silver wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Volmer Nielsen their Golden Wedding, both in November. All the best to all of you.

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A very happy and merry Christmas to all our readers and friends, may all good things come your way in the New Year 1968.

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(Cont'd from page 5)

Early donations urged.

If You Know a Family in Need:

1. Names can be submitted directly to the following special service agencies: Catholic Charities, 429-2731; All People's Mission, 424-2471; Salvation Army, 424-6924. Closing date December 20th

2. The Christmas Bureau itself does not accept names of needy families. These must be submitted to the agencies listed above.

If You are Planning to Assist Families that You Know are in Need:

1. Register the names of families you INTEND to help in order to avoid duplication in giving.

There have been cases in past years where families have refused hampers and parcels delivered on Christmas Eve because they have already been assisted by another donor group.

Are you thinking about taking a trip to the Scandinavian countries in 1968. Don't wait too long before you decide, as they are beginning to fill now.

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Sandwiches were served by the Ladies of the Danish Society Board at the Annual General Meeting in October, since there were no time that evening, I will on behalf of all present members, say a hearty Thank You for the donation and serving of all those lovely sandwiches.

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The lucky winner at the Anagar Ladies Aid Bazaar held November 17th were: Miss Annie Gron, H. Mikkelsen, Chr. Jorgensen, Louis Nielsen, Marry Jensen and Mrs. Chris Morgensen. Mrs. Mogensen won a big framed picture, she put it up for sale again and Ole Knudsen was the lucky one to receive this lovely picture, donated by Mrs. Andersen Calmar. Thanks to all who attended, and gave so generously. Thank You.

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DANIA GYMNASTIC CLUB NEWS

December 11th and 13th will be the last two nights of gymnastics at Oliver school. After New Years, gymnastics will begin January 8th at 7 p.m. for girls and young boys. January 10th will be the first night of gymnastics for boys and men, also at 7 p.m. Some interest has been shown to have a Ladies group begin after New Years. If you are interested in having a Ladies group begin after New Year, please phone Heige Welling at 489-5749 and leave your name and phone number. A minimum of ten is needed before a group can be started. Already 7 have indicated they would like to join.

At Hallowe'en the kids going to gymnastics had a little game and when they yelled Hallowe'en AP-PLES loud enough, they were given an apple each. We are sure they enjoyed it as they enjoy the gymnastics.

Monday nights attendance figure of 24 was the highest recorded this year, Wednesday's highest attendance record this fall was 15.

After New Year let us see you all at Oliver school at 102 Ave and 117 Street in order to stay fit and healthy in 1968. Until then a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.

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HOLIDAY PLANTS

Plants frequently given as holiday gifts, such as the azalea and poinsettia, can bloom for weeks if they receive proper care. In general, they should be kept in a cool room with plenty of sunlight and moderate humidity. A humid atmosphere can be supplied by putting pots in a tray of gravel, spagnum moss or peat moss that is kept moist. The air surrounding the plant will contain moisture due to water evaporation. Soil should be checked every two days. If it looks of feels dry, the plant needs watering. However, it is important not to water too often or root rot may occur. Never water so heavily that plants remain in a dish of water for more than half a day. Since it is difficult for most of these plants to bloom again without extensive care, consider them to be long-lasting cut flowers to be discarded after blooming. Specific care advice for favorite holiday plants include:

AZALEA

The colorful flowers of this plant lasts longer than those of many other holiday plants. They bloom best if kept at 55 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Depending on the amount of moisture in the air, the plant may need watering once or twice a day. Keep it in indirect sunlight. Always remove faded flowers.

CHRISTMAS BEGONIA

This beautiful holiday plant is one of the most difficult to grow. Daytime temperature of 65 to 70 degrees suits it best. At night, move it to a cooler location (55 to 60 degrees). The plant requires direct sunlight in a moderate humid room. Keep soil moist and well drained. Don't wet foliage when watering.

CHRISTMAS CACTUS

A flowering cactus, it is extremely sensitive to light and temperature changes. A 60 degree night temperature and 65 to 70 degrees during the day are best. Water enough to keep stem from shrivelling.

CHRYSANthemum

Maintaining a temperature of 60 to 70 degrees, watering frequently (as often as five times a week) and placing it in direct sunlight can enable this plant to flower for at least three weeks.

CYCLAMEN

The coolest spot in the house—50 to 55 degrees and an abundance of indirect sunlight is needed to preserve the flowers of this plant. Check the soil for dryness three times a week. Do not overwater. Water from below so that water does not get into the crown because it may cause the flower shoots and leaves to decay.

JERUSALEM CHERRY

This plant does best in cool temperatures (50 to 60 degrees), direct sunlight and moderate humidity. Keep it away from drafts and allow the soil to be fairly dry before watering.

KALANCHOE

The brightly colored flowers of this plant will not fade for several weeks if kept in a daytime temperature of 70 degrees and 50 to 55 degrees at night. Keep the soil a little dry and avoid drafts.

LUCIA FESTIVITIES

In the realm of Scandinavian folklore, the story of Lucia is one of the most colorful and idyllic. Out of the story has come an annual celebration which is one of the most popular in Sweden.

December 13 is the Day of Santa Lucia, the Queen of Light. Early in the morning families all over Sweden are pleasantly awakened by a "Lucia", usually the oldest daughter of the family, singing an ancient song, "Santa Lucia". She is dressed in white robe and wears a crown of greens and lighted candles. She serves each member of the family coffee, "lussekatter", and cookies.

Now the celebration has been extended into offices, factories, schools hotels and elsewhere, with a lovely girl wearing the crown of lights and serving the food.

Today the Lucia tradition has also developed into a community festival and each Swedish city elects its own Lucia. The biggest public celebration takes place in Stockholm where hundreds of girls compete for the honor of becoming the "Stockholm Lucia". In the evening of December 13, the "Stockholm Lucia" and her attendants ride through the streets of the Swedish capital in gaily decorated carriages. The colorful parade makes its way to Stockholm's famous City Hall where a banquet is held with many distinguished guests in attendance.

The Lucia legend is traced to Syracuse in Sicily where Lucia was born of noble parentage and raised in the Christian faith. While still a very young woman she secretly vowed to dedicate her life to God and to distribute her wealth among the poor. Unaware of this, her mother sought to marry her to a pagan of important family and great wealth. Lucia refused and thus was forced to reveal her vow. The unsympathetic suitor had Lucia brought to trial as a Christian. She was accused of witchcraft and died a martyr's death at the stake on December 13, 309 A.D. Later legends tell that Lucia's eyes were put out during her persecution, but that they were miraculously restored.

This incident, coupled with her name which means light, established Lucia as the patron saint of all those with afflicted eyes. She is always portrayed surrounded with glowing celestial lights.

The legend becomes linked with Sweden because Lucia's Feast Day is the 13th of December, once the shortest day of the year. Further development of the tradition in Sweden came as the result of a famine and great poverty in the province of Varmland. When the situation was at its worst a large white vessel appeared on Lake Vanern,

and at its helm stood a beautiful maiden in a gleaming white robe with her head encircled in a crown of radiant beams. As the vessel touched the shore, large quantities of food and clothing appeared. When everyone had been cared for, the ship disappeared as quickly as it had come.

The date of December 13 as the shortest day of the year may be confusing since December 22 is the Winter Solstice.

However when the Lucia tradition originated in Sweden, the old Julian calendar was still in effect and in this calendar December 13 was the Winter Solstice. In 1753 Sweden adopted the present Gregorian calendar, but the return of light is still celebrated on the original date.

LUSSEKATTER

1/2 tsp saffron
1 C lukewarm cream or milk
2 packages of active dry yeast
1/3 C sugar
1 egg beaten
1/2 C melted butter
1/2 C raisins
4 C sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 tsp salt

Dry saffron a few minutes in a very low oven temperature. Crush until powdery. Spoon 1 tablespoon of warm cream or milk over saffron and let it stand a few minutes.

Dissolve yeast in remaining cream or milk; add sugar, salt, egg, butter, raisins, dissolved saffron and half of flour. Beat until well blended, then gradually add more flour until dough is smooth and not too firm.

Turn dough out onto floured surface and knead for 10 minutes.

Place dough in a buttered bowl, turning the dough over so that it will be greased on all sides. Cover with towel and let rise in a warm place until double in bulk (about 1 1/2 hours).

Punch down the dough. knead lightly. Flour hands and shape the buns. Pinch off small pieces of dough and roll out on floured surface into 7-inch long strips. Pinch two strips together in the centre; curl in each end. Stick a raisin in each curl.

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Place buns on buttered cookie sheet. Cover; let rise for about 45 minutes.

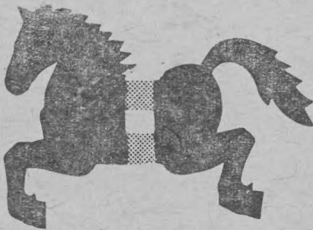
Brush buns with beaten egg. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees) 10 - 15 minutes

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BUFORD NEWS

Pat and Tony Lefsrud enjoyed a short holiday in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ladouceur had a group of friends in one Saturday evening to celebrate the completion of their three-car garage.

Congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. George Modin's daughter Elva, who won the New Humble Centre Schools honour work for grade 6.

Ellen, Ray, Angela and Lloyd Pearson enjoyed a trip to the U.S.A. where they visited Ellen's cousin at Hoffman, Winnesota and Fargo North Dakota and friends at Culbertson, Montana.

Percy and Gladys Sandstrom received a pleasant surprise when Gladys' uncle, Mr. Sandy Faulkner from Old Barns, Nova Scotia, stopped in for a visit on his way to B.C.

Congratulations to the Centennial baby, Lorne Wronko, son of Gladys and Eugene Wronko who won the centennial quilt raffled by the Willow Creek Ladies Club.

Mr. Roger Gunsch was initiated and welcomed into our lodge at the October meeting.

The 1940-41 Calmar High School Graduates held a class reunion on Saturday, October 21st at the home of Mrs. Julia Engberg. Buford Vasa Lodge members who attended this happy and memorable event were Mrs. Irma Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Engberg, and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Dixon and also Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Larson of Scandia Lodge, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlson of Kelowna, B.C. were visiting relatives and friends at Buford and the surrounding district.

Wanda Markstedt attended a 4-H Leaders Conference held at Camp He-Ho-Ha, Lake of the Isles on November 6, 7, and 8.

Mrs. Ann Wickstrom and daughter Wendy enjoyed a trip to Drumheller and the Badlands with Ann's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Webster.

Glen Pearson who is attending the Olds School of Agriculture had a school chum of his, Bob Valgardson spend a weekend at his home.

The Eugene Wronko and Frank Ericksons were visitors at the home of Gerda's sister, Mrs Don Friend in Wetaskiwin one Saturday.

On November 3rd, Alice and Clair Evenson helped their Uncle Henry Evenson of Thorsby celebrate his 70th birthday.

Lillian Kromm, Irma Anderson and Tillie and Charlie Erickson enjoyed a visit with their Uncle John Erickson of Leduc on Sunday, November 5th on the occasion of his 81st birthday.

On October 21st the Albin Markstedts attended Scandia Lodge's annual Smorgasbord held in the Scandinavian Centre and enjoyed the supper, program and dance immensely.

Congratulations to Raymond and Elsie Erickson and Doris and George Modin who celebrated their wedding anniversaries in November, the Ericksons—18 years November 4th and the Modins — 17 years November 7th.

The Lodge Curlers are getting ready for a season of curling one night a week at Calmar.

On Friday, November 10th, Melvin and Marilyn Gellert and Vernon and Goody Pearson attended the Mills-Gillert wedding in the Lutheran Church, Telfordville, and the reception which followed in the Thorsby Community Hall.

A kindergarten teacher, trying to explain the concept of distance to her pupils, asked them whether they lived close to or far away from the school. One moppet told her: "I must live pretty close, because every time I come home, my mother says, 'Good grief, are you home already?'"

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Erika's Delicatessen is located on the north east side of the all-weather air conditioned mall. It is owned and operated by Mrs. Erika Reinecker and Mrs. Thora Johnson.

Mrs. Reinecker is a native of Denmark where she learned the sausage making trade. She came to Canada six years ago to Thompson, Manitoba where she qualified in the Canadian Butchers' Courses and came to Edmonton five years ago. She has worked in the trade here for one of the largest meat packing firms before deciding to open her own delicatessen.

A native of Manitoba, Mrs. Johnson has been in Edmonton since 1943. She has been in the retail business since 1946 and for the last three years has worked with Mrs. Reinecker.

The new delicatessen is one of the more impressive stores in the Bonnie Doon Shopping Mall. The best equipment available has been incorporated into the kitchen and the front of the store. In the kit-

chen the unique sausage making machine is recognized as the most efficient made today. It was manufactured in Germany.

The huge display and sales area of the store is richly finished in stainless steel and teak. The refrigerated display cases are trimmed with teak and well lighted for easy choice by the customer. All foods tastefully displayed and perfectly preserved. All speciality items are made fresh daily right on the premises.

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The two ladies are fortunate, indeed, to have the services of 21-year-old Leif Jorgensen, an expert sausage maker who will head up this department. He came to Edmonton five months ago from Denmark where he had qualified in sausage making and the manufacture of fancy meats.

The new store specializes in sausage and fancy meats, and will carry a complete line of fresh meat, salads and imported canned foods. They will cater to home and office parties and their speciality for these occasions are open face sandwiches and TV dinners.

John doesn't plan for the future, He's getting married next month and he hasn't even found her a job.

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"Money no longer talks, it goes without saying."

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Father was reading his newspaper and small son working aloud at his homework.

"One and one, son of a bitch is two. One and two, son of a bitch is three."

Father dropped his newspaper and asked for an explanation. "That's the way they teach us, Dad."

The following day, father interviewed the teacher and got the facts: One and one, the sum of which is two."

The new store opens for 20 feet the mall and the customer will feel welcome as he enters the luxuriously carpeted store. The open beam finish and the hand-painted wall murals will add to his shopping pleasure.

Mrs. Reinecker and Mrs. Johnson would be pleased to answer any questions regarding catering and other specialty meat requirements. Their phone number is 469-6538.

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Smorgasbord from Danish Delicatessen Available—Refreshments
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A penny saved is a penny earned, and the only thing you can buy with it is a gum ball.

It doesn't really take all kinds.

The trouble with planning meals is you usually have to do it when you're not very hungry.

This year's bathing suits have to be believed to be seen.

There's no point of knowing all the answers if you can't get anyone to ask the questions.

It's easier to move than have an apartment painted

The trouble with very short skirts is, when you sit down you find yourself staring at your own knees.

"Waste not, want not" depends on what you want.

Nobody knows the trouble I've seen, nobody knows but my hairdresser, my neighbor, my mother my dentist, and some woman I sat next to on the bus yesterday.

Only one phone call in 500 is worth getting out of the shower for.